COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

Investigation by the Department of :

Telecommunications and Energy upon:

its own Motion Commencing a Notice of Inquiry: D.T.E. 98-32

Pursuant to 220 C.M.R. § 2.00 et seq., :

Into the Unbundling of All Natural Gas Local :

Distribution Companies' Service :

Petition to Intervene of Select Energy, Inc.

Select Energy, Inc. hereby files its request to intervene in the above captioned docket. In support of this application, Select Energy, Inc. states as follows:

- 1. Select Energy, Inc. ("Select") is a Connecticut corporation, with offices at 107 Selden Street, Berlin, Connecticut 06037.
- 2. Select Energy, Inc. is an affiliate of Western Massachusetts Electric Company and is a competitive supplier in the pilot program. Select is a gas marketer, both wholesale and retail. These proceedings will directly affect the retail gas markets in Massachusetts and directly affect the procedures for serving customers. This docket identifies costs that will be borne by customers and marketers directly.
- 3. As such, Select Energy, Inc. has substantial interest in the outcome of these proceedings. No other participant to these proceedings can adequately represent Select's interest.
- 4. Select Energy, Inc. has just recently become aware of this proceeding. Select submits that it would add measurably and constructively to the scope of this proceeding. Finally, Select does not intend to interject itself in such a way as to delay the pending proceedings. Select respectfully requests that the Department grant this petition for intervenor status and permit Select to participate in any hearing that might be ordered in this docket. In light of the timing of this request, Select would accept limited intervenor status, at the discretion of the Department.
- 5. Select Energy, Inc. requests that correspondence and other communications with respect to this matter be served on the following persons:

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Select Energy, Inc. requests that these names be added to the official service lisin this docket.
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